

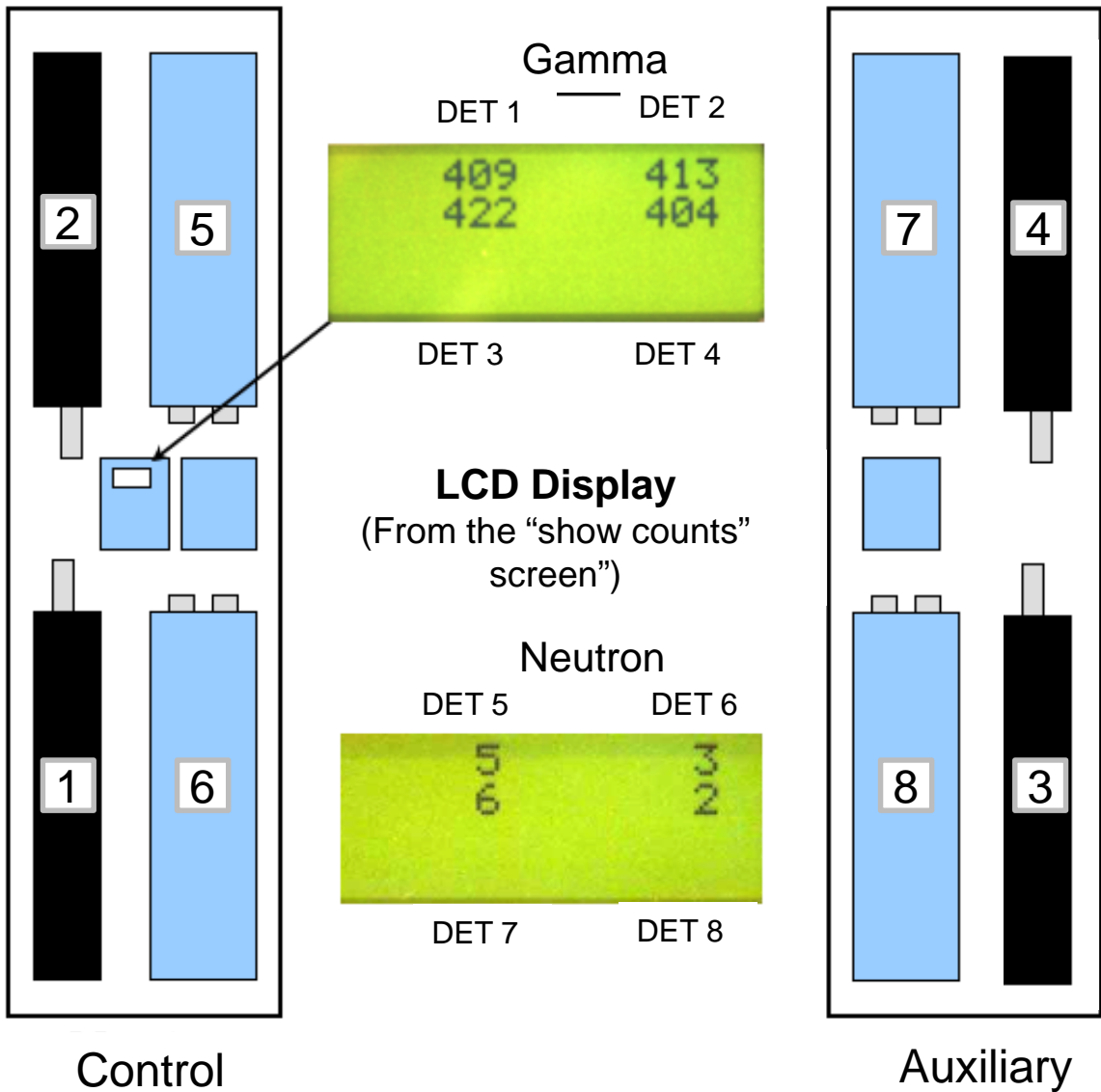
# Radiation Portal Monitor Maintenance Guide for Rapiscan

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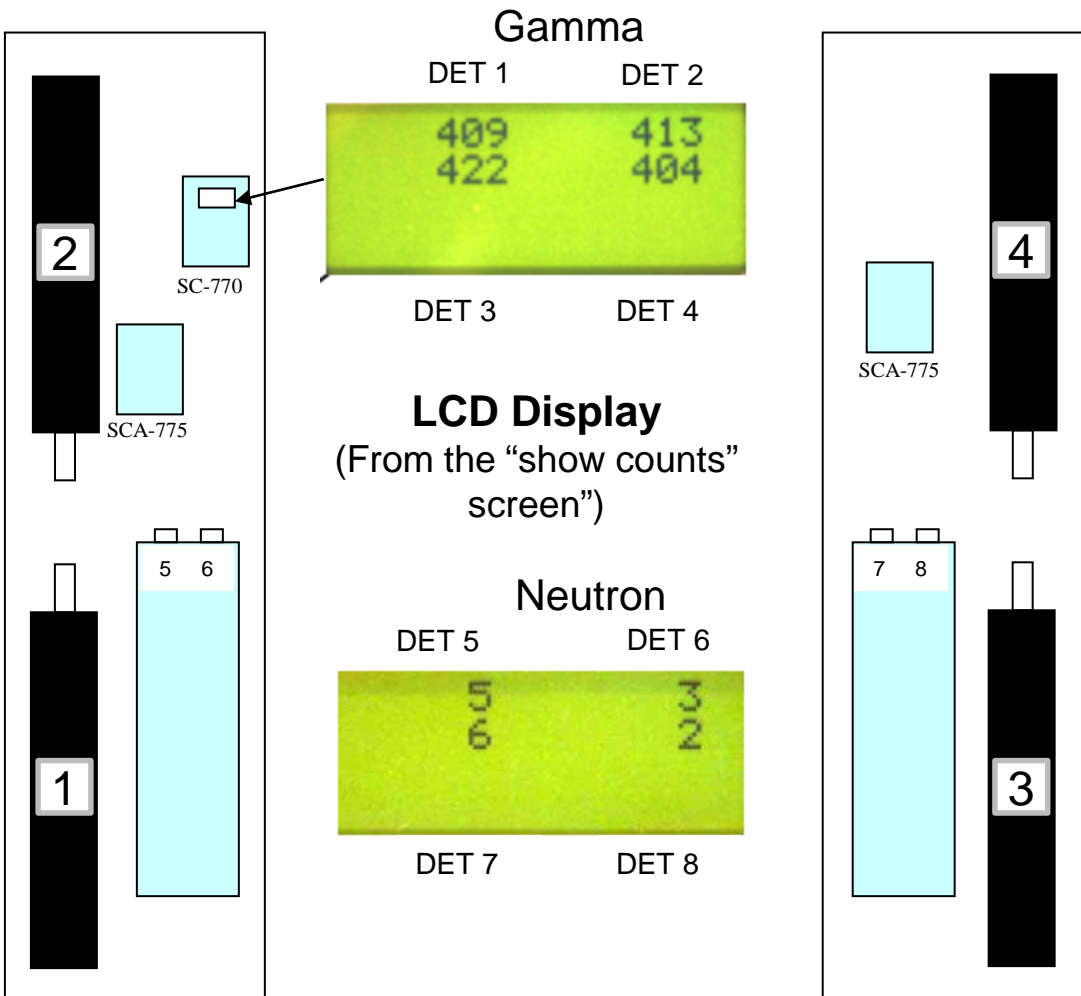
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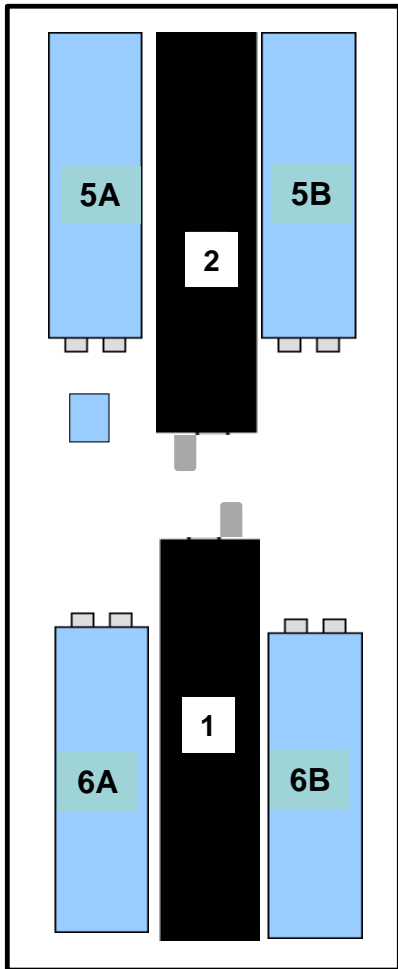
# TSA VM250AGN Detector Layout



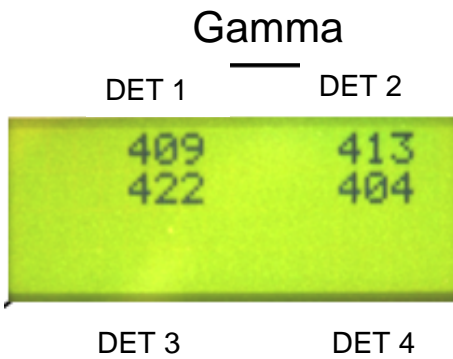
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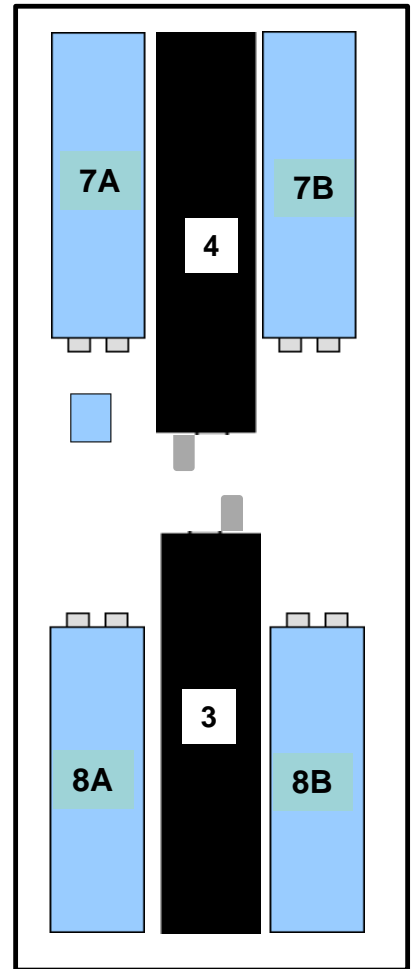
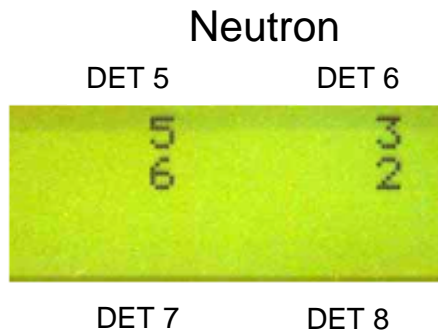
# TSA TM-850 Detector Layout



Control Pillar



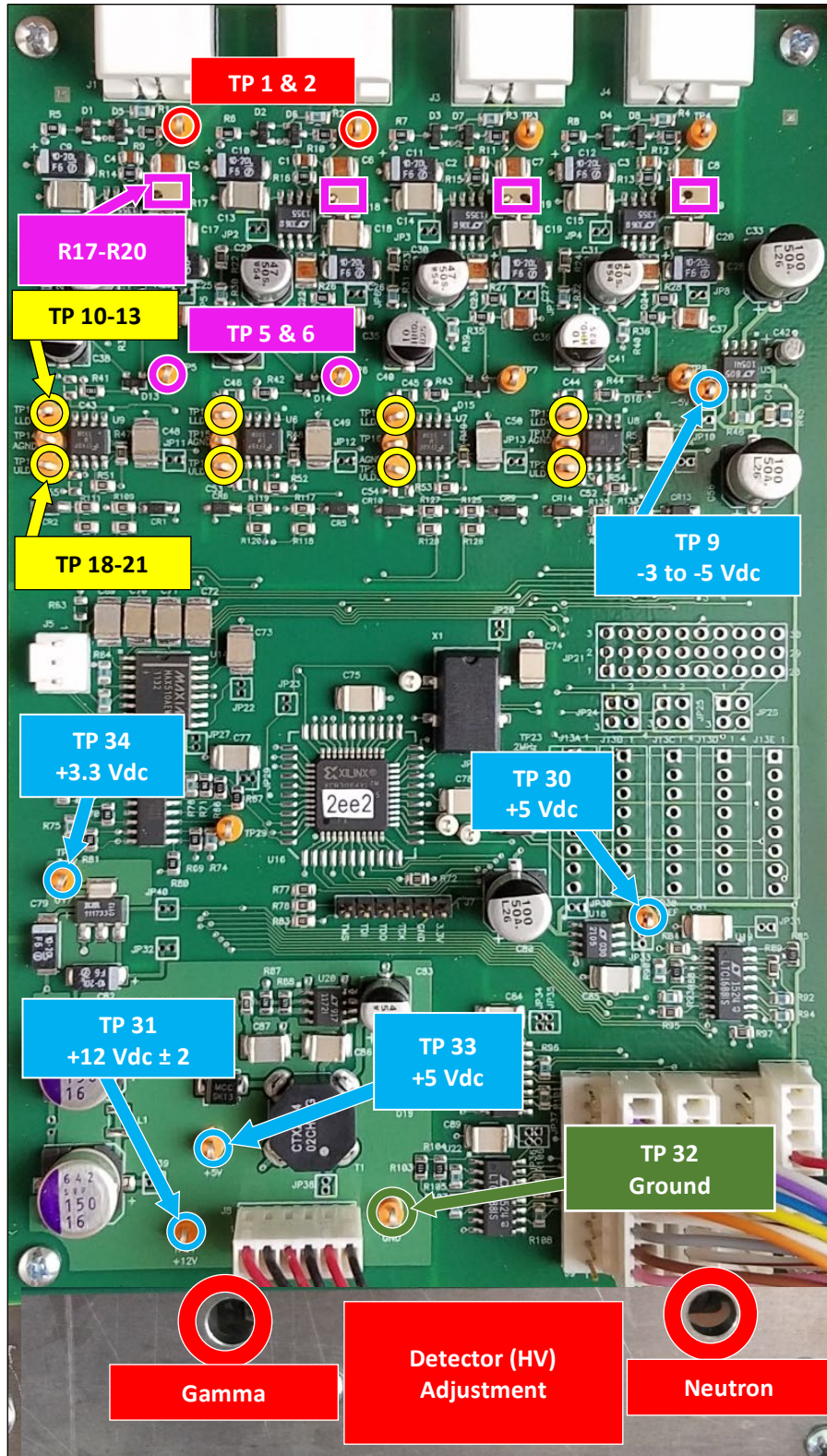
**LCD Display**  
(From the "show counts" screen")



Auxiliary Pillar



# Single Channel Analyzer Board (SCA-774)



	Controller Label	FCT Spreadsheet Label	Values		
GAMMA	PARAMETERS	HI/LO LEVELS	Low Background Fault/Hi Background Fault	1/2 of lowest Det, 3x highest Det	
		INTERVALS	Intervals (200 ms)	5	
		OCC. HOLDIN	Occupancy Hold-in (5 for Ped monitors, 10 from Vehicle and Rail monitors)	5 or 10	
		NSIGMA	N*Sigma	Calculated value	
		DET. ONLINE	Detectors on line	1234	
	FUNCTIONS	SHOW COUNT	Displays count rates for all gamma detectors		
		DSCR. ADJUST	(LLD) Lower level discriminator (M/S) - (ULD) Upper level discriminator (M/S)	LLD=0.069 / ULD=0.455	
		VARIANCE	Runs a "variance test" when selected		
		SET CLOCK	*not listed on FCT* Allows user to enter current date and time	local time/date	
		RELAY OUTPUT	Relay Output (Determines if visual and audible fault/alarm indications function)	1	
	ADVANCED	ALGORITHM	Algorithm (VM and TM = 1010, PM = 1000)	1010 or 1000	
		G-BKG. TIME	Gamma BG averaging time, sec	20	
		SHOW VERSION	Firmware version	1.10.1a	
		CLEAR G-COUNTS	*not used - not listed on the FCT*		
		F-ALARM TEST	*not used - not listed on the FCT*		
		BKG. NSIGMA	Background N*Sigma	0	
		SYSTEM I.D.	*not used - not listed on the FCT*		
PROFILING	Profiling	ON			
NEUTRON	PARAMETERS	HI LEVEL	High background fault level	50	
		MAX INTRVALS	Max intervals	Calculated value	
		ALPHA VALUE	Alpha value (47 unless bkd in TM less than 10cps, VM less than 5)(PM = 5)	Calculated value	
		ZMAX VALUE	Zmax value	1200	
		SEQ. TEST	Sequence number	Calculated value	
		N-BKG TIME	Neutron BG averaging time, sec	120	
	FUNCTIONS	SHOW COUNT	Displays count rates for all neutron detectors		
		DSCR. ADJUST	Lower level discrimination (M/S) - Upper level discrimination (M/S)	0.504 / 5.04	
		CLEAR N-CNTS	*not used - not listed on the FCT*		
		NEU. ENABLE	Neutron enable	ON	
COMMUNICATIONS	PARAMETERS	IP	IP Address	CAS SPECIFIC	
		SUBNET	Subnet Mask	255.255.255.000	
		DNS	*not listed on FCT*		
		GATE WAY	*not listed on FCT*		

	Do not change
	Not a "setting"

## Rapiscan RPM Streaming Data/Daily File Definitions

### 1. Main character identifiers

<b>GA</b>	Gamma Alarm		<b>NA</b>	Neutron Alarm
<b>GB</b>	Gamma Background		<b>NB</b>	Neutron Background
<b>GH</b>	Gamma High (Fault)		<b>NH</b>	Neutron High (Fault)
<b>GL</b>	Gamma Low (Fault)		<b>NS</b>	Neutron Scan
<b>GS</b>	Gamma Scan			
<b>GX</b>	Occupancy Cleared			

<b>TC</b>	Tamper Cleared		<b>SG1</b>	Setup Gamma 1
<b>TT</b>	Tamper Fault		<b>SG2</b>	Setup Gamma 2
<b>SP</b>	Speed Message		<b>SG3</b>	Setup Gamma 3
			<b>SN1</b>	Setup Neutron 1
			<b>SN2</b>	Setup Neutron 2

### 2. Main character definitions

**a. GA,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Gamma counts sent every 200 milliseconds while occupied and in an alarm state. The counts shown are per 200-millisecond NOT counts/second.

**b. GB,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Gamma Background sent every 5 seconds when RPM not occupied. Displays one-second average count rate in counts/second.

**c. GH,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Gamma High Fault, sent every 5 seconds. The counts shown are counts/second, but based on four 5-second rolling averages.

**d. GL,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Gamma Low Fault, sent every 5 seconds. The counts shown are counts/second, but based on four 5-second rolling averages.

**e. GS,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Gamma counts sent every 200 milliseconds while occupied and not in an alarm condition. The counts shown are per 200-millisecond NOT counts/second.

**f. GX,xxxxxx,yyyyyy,000000,000000**

Pillar occupancy(x) and neutron background count(y) since midnight. Count is incremented every occupancy. Automatically resets to zero on a power cycle and at midnight.

**g. NA,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Neutron counts sent every second while occupied and in an alarm state. The counts are counts/second averaged from five 200-millisecond count buffer.

**h. NB,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Neutron Background sent every 5 seconds. The one-second counts are averaged from a 20-second count buffer. The 20 second buffer is based on four 5-second rolling averages.

**i. NH,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Neutron High Fault Background sent every 5 seconds. The one-second counts are averaged from a 20-second count buffer. The 20 second buffer is based on four 5-second rolling averages.

**j. NS,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx,xxxxx**

Neutron counts sent every second while occupied and not in an alarm state. The counts are one second, from five 200-millisecond count buffer.

**k. TC,111111,111111,111111,111111**

Tamper or power-fail condition cleared. This is sent only once when the AC power is restored, or when the cabinet doors are closed.

**l. TT,000000,000000,000000,000000**

Tamper or power-failure condition. This is sent only upon AC power loss, +15 VDC power supply failure, or when the doors are opened on the RPM cabinet.

**m. SP, 0.1234, 04.234, 006.23, 000000**

Speed Message, The first field is time to cover 1 foot, second field is MPH (99 max), Third field is KPH (999 max).

### 3. Ethernet Output Only

The following messages are sent on RPM power up if there is an Ethernet link established, when the program mode is exited, and at midnight based on the SC-770 internal clock.

**a. SG1,005000,000068,05,10,07.00,P**

Setup Gamma 1,  
High Background fault set point (cps)  
Low Background fault set point (cps)  
Intervals,  
Occupancy holdin,  
NSigma,  
"P" a place holder.



**b. SG2,1100,0.068,0.455,1,1010,A (or T)**

Setup Gamma 2,

Detectors on line,

Control Lower level discriminator,

Control Upper level discriminator,

Relay output,

Algorithm,

“**A or T**” is part of the Version of software 1.10.0**A** or 2.00.0**T**

**c. SG3, 0.068,0.455,020,000,1.10.0**

Setup Gamma 3,

Auxiliary Lower level discriminator,

Auxiliary Upper Level discriminator,

Background Time,

Background NSigma,

Rabbit Firmware Version.

**d. SN1,000050,2,0047,1200,4,120**

Setup Neutron 1,

High background fault set point,

Maximum Intervals,

Alpha value,

Zmax value,

Sequential intervals.

## Establishing communications with a TSA RPM SC-770 Controller

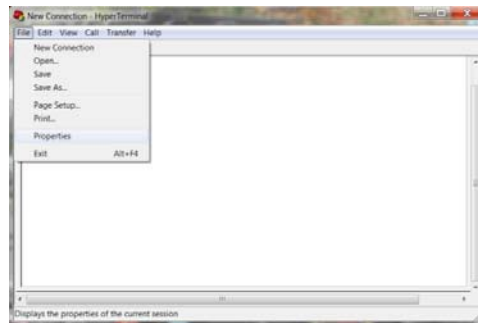
Two part process:

1. Set up Hyperterminal connection
2. Configure a connection in your “Network and Sharing Center”

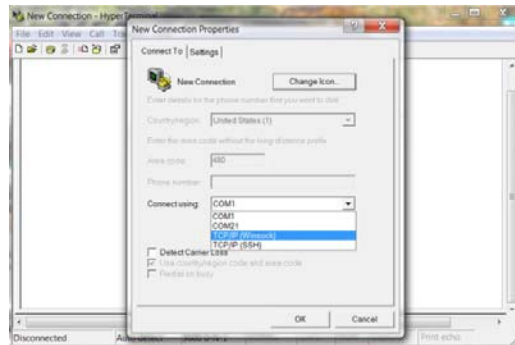
### A. Set up Hyperterminal connection

A.1. Open a “New Connection” in HyperTerminal (it will ask you to name it, I use “TSA”)

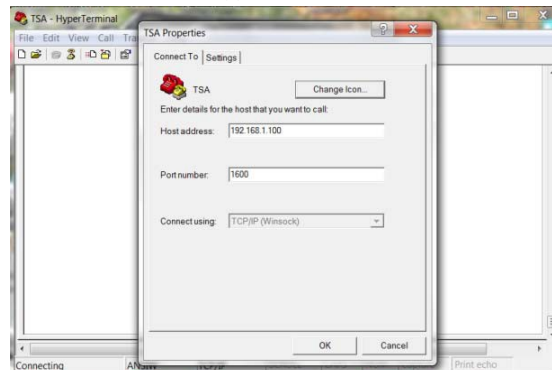
A.2. Go to “File”> “Properties”



A.3. in “Connect using” drop down menu > select “TCP/IP (Winsock)”



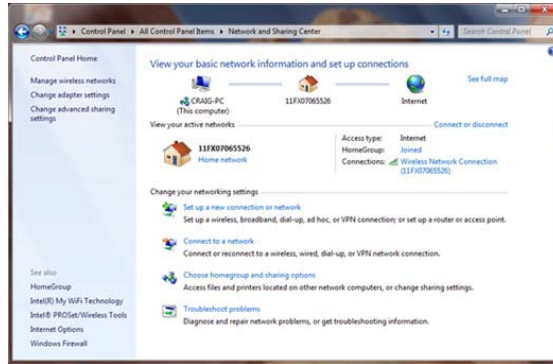
A.4. This window will appear, Type in the IP address of RPM Controller, and Port 1600  
Example: if controller is 192.168.001.100, type in 192.168.1.100



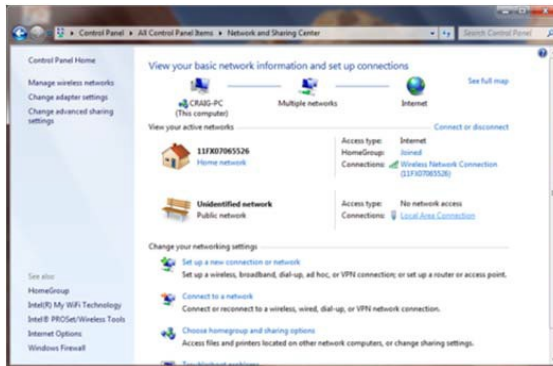
A.5 Click OK, and minimize the HyperTerminal window temporarily

## B Time to configure a connection on your computer

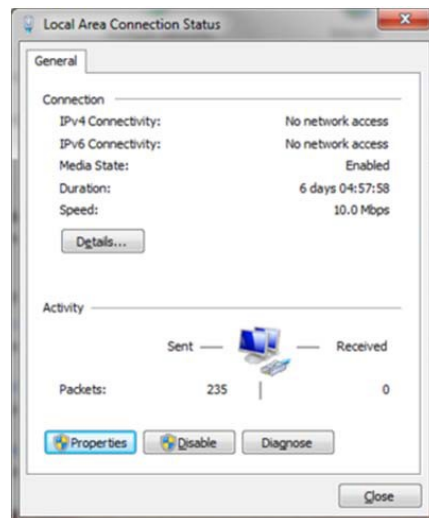
B.1 Navigate to Control Panel > Network and Sharing Center, you'll see any active networks you are connected to. Plug in the Ethernet connector at the SC-770 and into your computer.



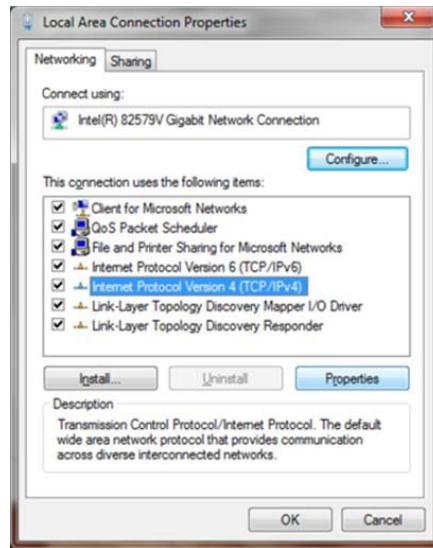
B.2 You should see a new network appear, and eventually the "Active Networks" will show an "Unidentified Network", Click on the "Local Area Connection" link next to it.



B.3 The status window for that connection will open as seen below, click on Properties.

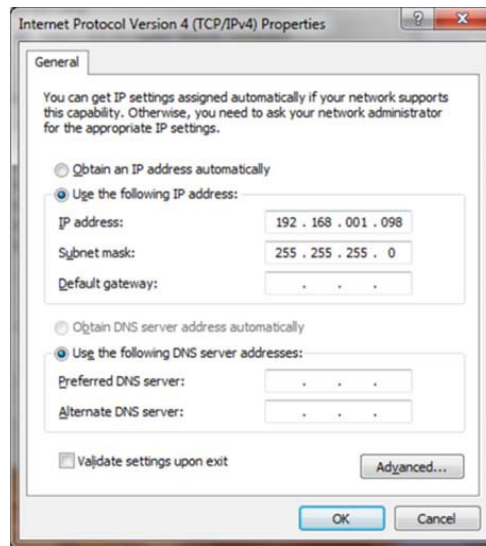


B.4 The following window will open, highlight (click on) Internet Protocol Version (TCP/IPv4), then click on “OK”.



B.5 The following window will open, Select “Use the following IP address, and type in a IP address that is slightly different from the IP address of the RPM controller only in the last three digits.

Example if RPM IP address is 192.168.001.100, type in 192.168.001.098, then fill in Subnet mask as indicated below. Click OK, back all of the way out, and you should be good to go.

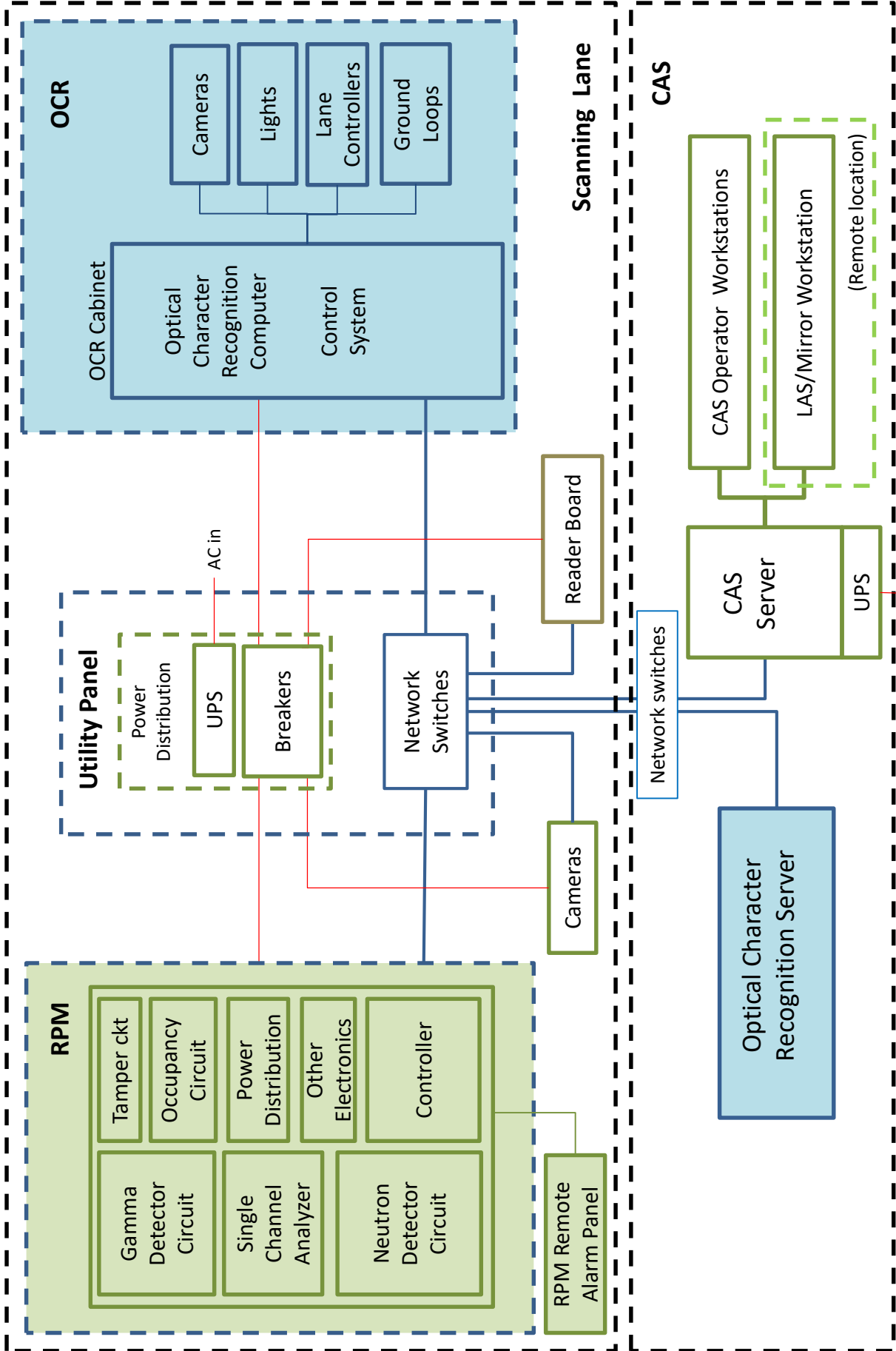


# TSA VM-250 AGN

## Functional Block Diagrams

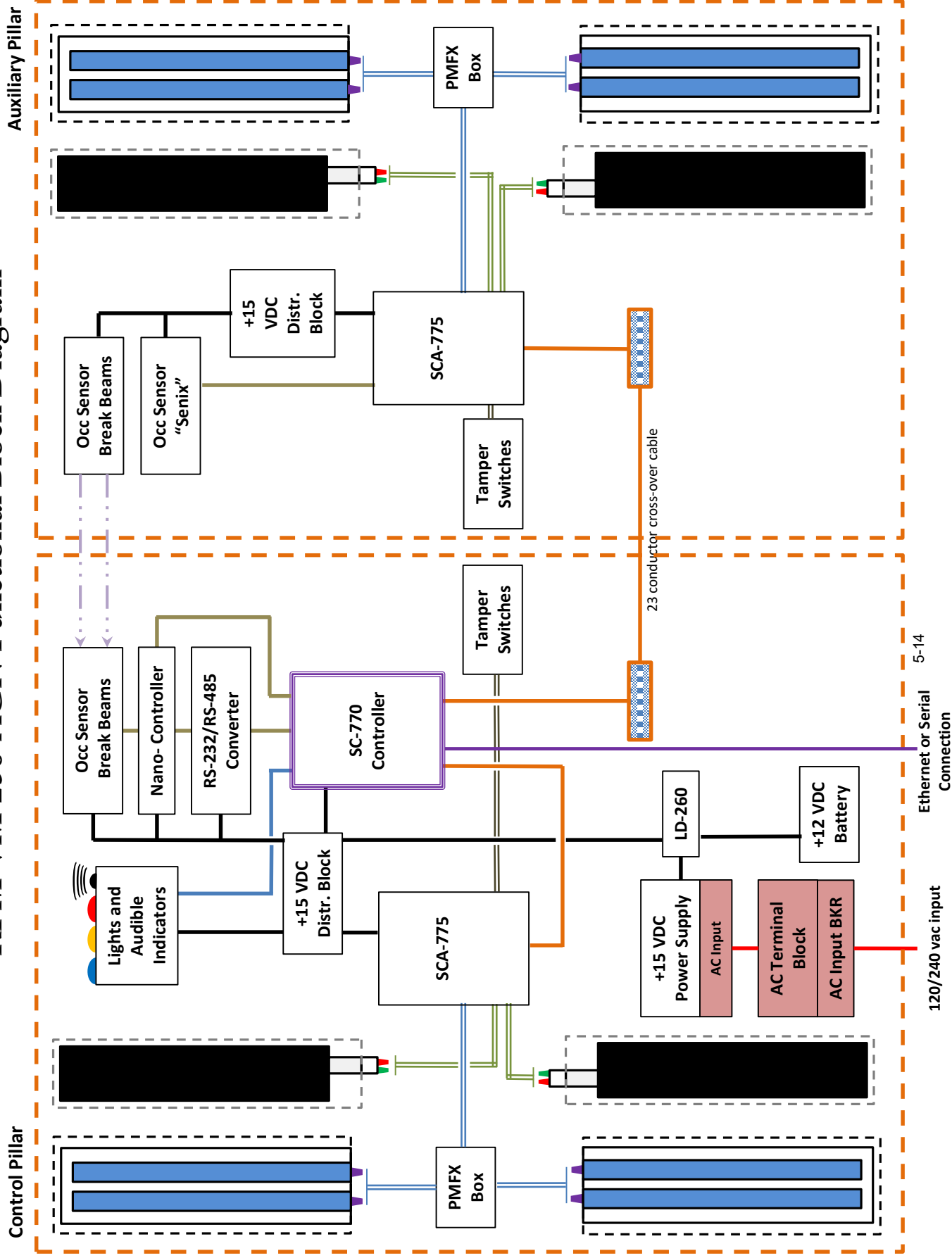
- Radiation Detection System Overview
- TSA VM250-AGN Overview
- Gamma Detector Circuitry
- Neutron Detector Circuitry
- 120/240 VAC Distribution
- +15 VDC Distribution
- Occupancy Sensor Circuit
- Tamper Circuit (and line drawing)
- Alarm and Fault Indication Circuit

# Radiation Detection System





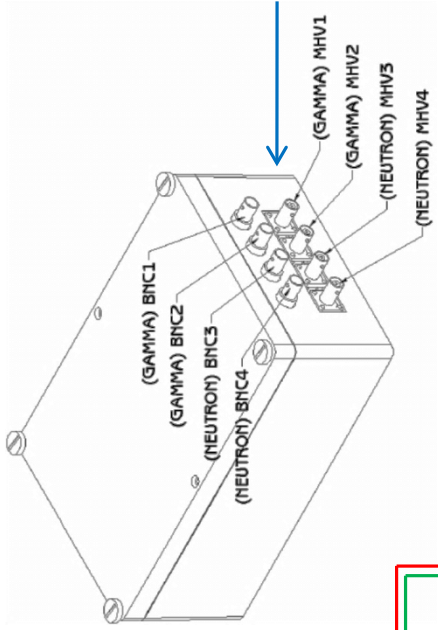
# RPM VM-250-AGN Functional Block Diagram



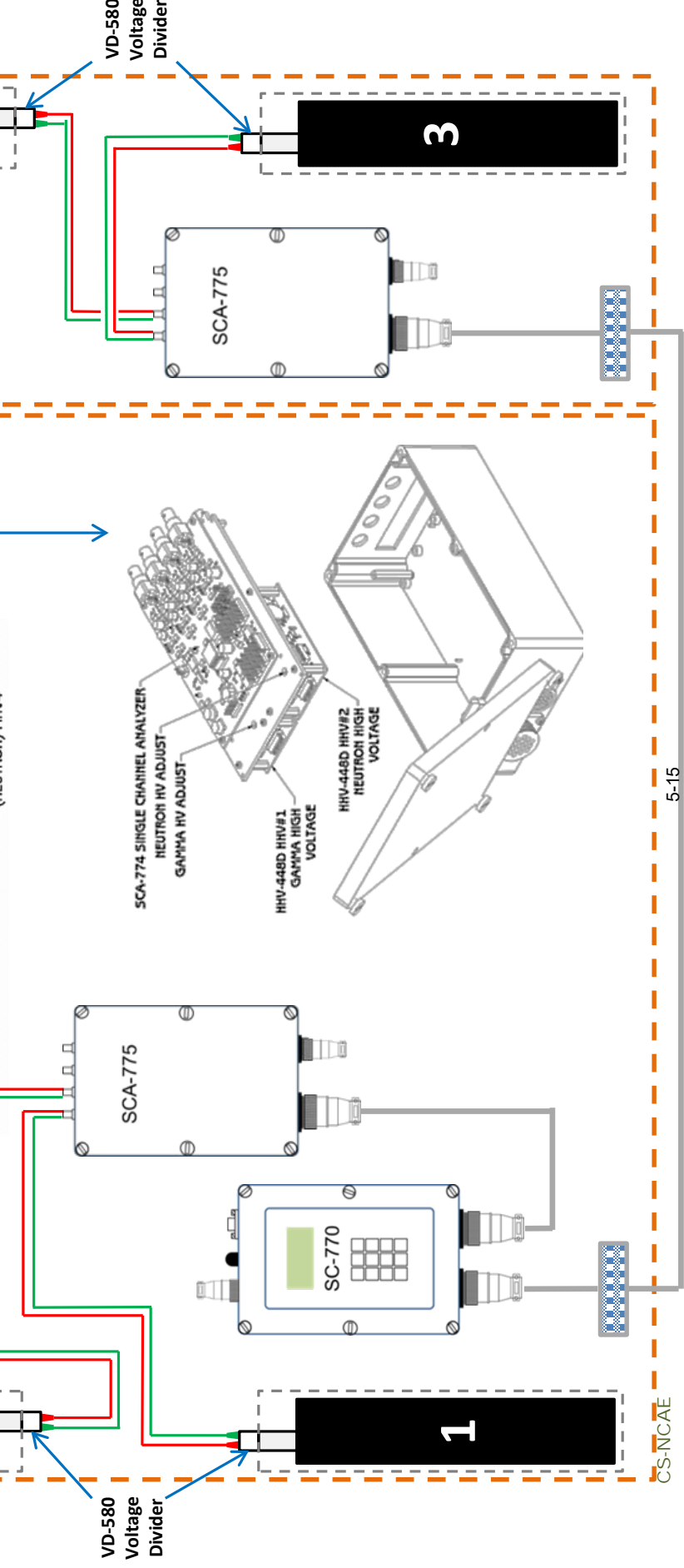
# Gamma Detection Circuitry Functional Block Diagram

Control Pillar

Auxiliary Pillar

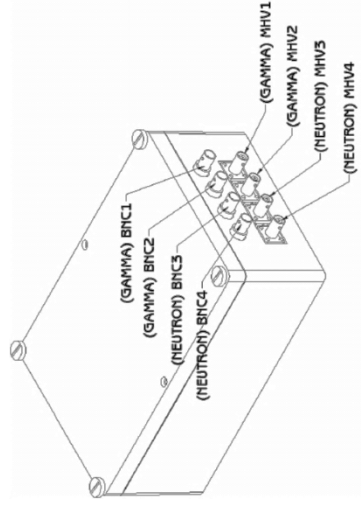
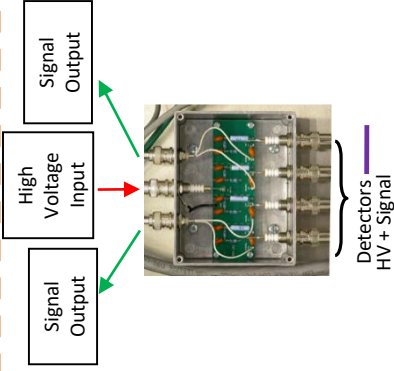
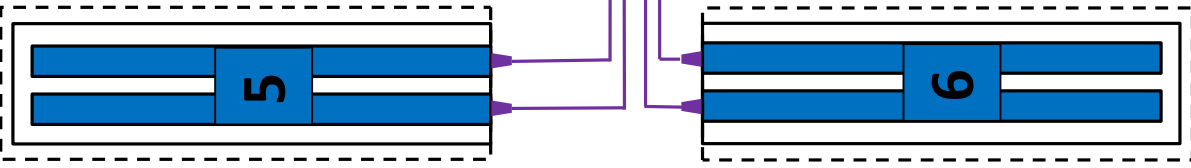


**SCA-775**  
**Module Detail**  
 MHV = High Volts  
 (Back Row)  
 BNC = Signal  
 (Front Row)



# Neutron Detection Circuitry Functional Block Diagram

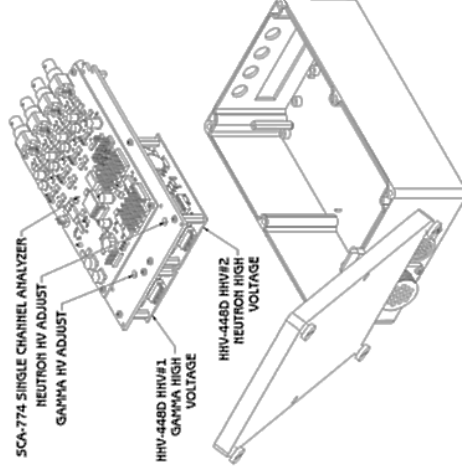
Control Pillar



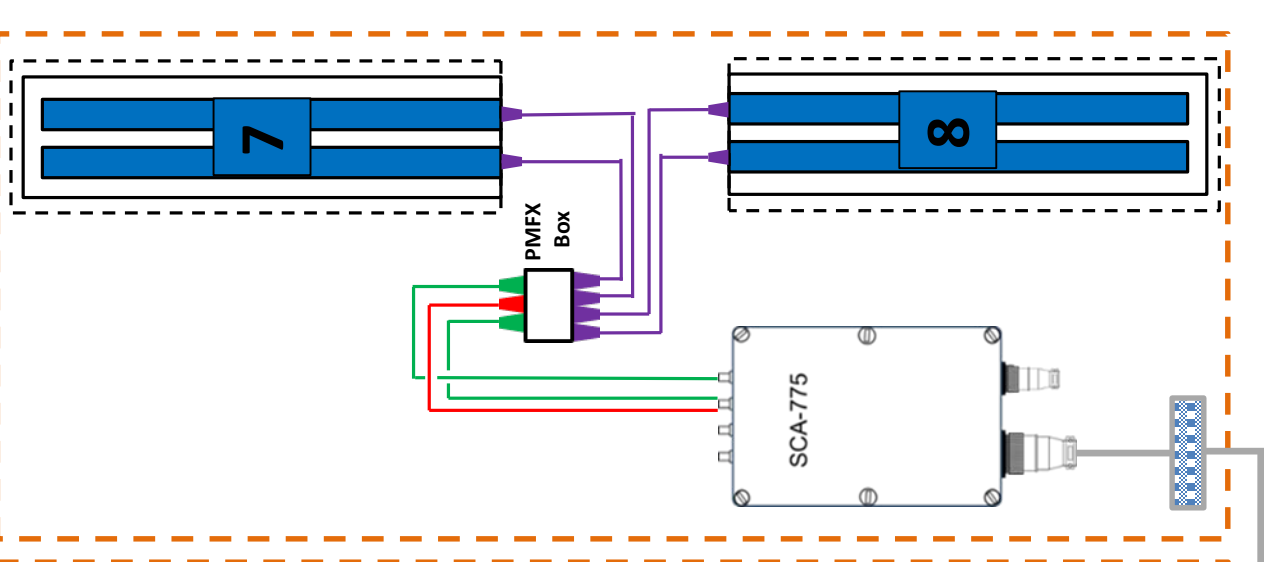
## SCA-775

### Module Detail

MHV = High Volts (Back Row)  
BNC = Signal (Front Row)

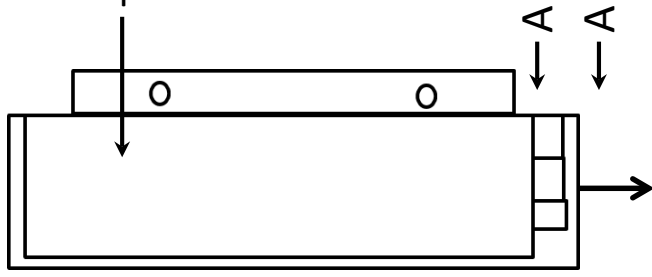


Auxiliary Pillar

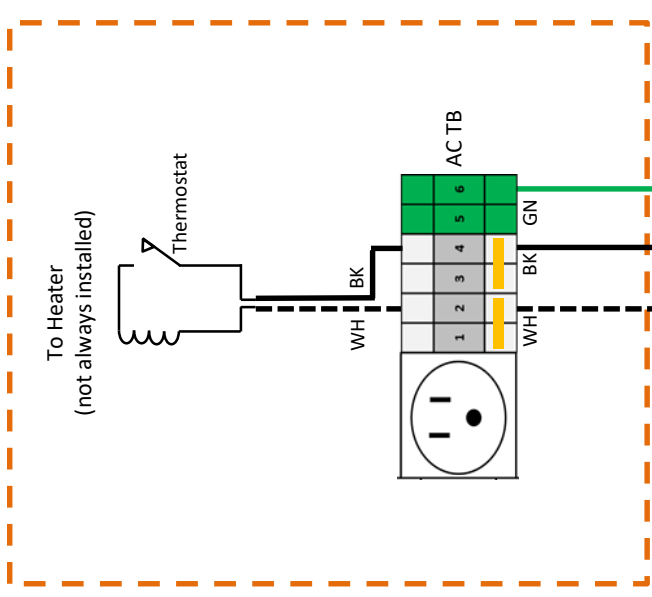


# 120/240 VAC Power Distribution Block Diagram

Control Pillar

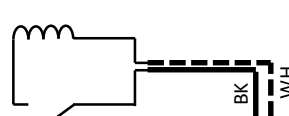


Auxiliary Pillar



To Heater  
(not always installed)

Thermostat



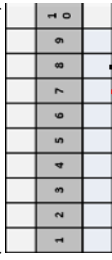
From Control Pillar AC TB  
 AC TB PIN 2 = WH  
 AC TB PIN 4 = BK  
 AC TB PIN 6 = GN  
 BK = Line  
 WH = Neutral  
 GN = Ground

To Auxiliary Pillar Heater  
(not always installed)

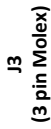
# +15 VDC Power Distribution Block Diagram

Control Pillar

(used for AM-270 if installed)



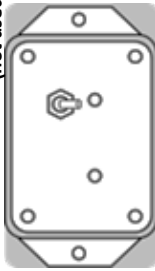
**TB3**



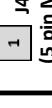
J3  
(3 pin Molex)



J1  
(not used)

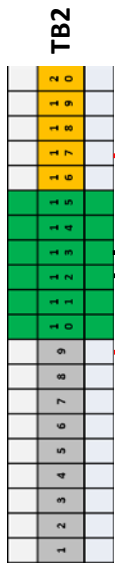


J2  
(6 pin Molex)

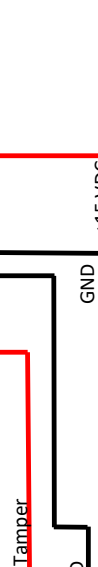


J4  
(5 pin Molex)

- TB-2 pin 10 to SC-775 (GND) (EJ2)
- TB-2 pin 14 to ELK-100 (GND)(speaker driver)
- TB-2 pin 15 to TB-4 pin 1 (GND)(alarm indications)
- TB-2 pin 15 to SC-770 (GND)(EJ3)
- TB-2 pin 16 to SC-775 (+15 VDC) (EJ2)
- TB-2 pin 17 to SC-770 (+15 VDC)(EJ3)
- TB-2 pin 17 to TB-4 pin 3 (+15 VDC)(alarm indications)

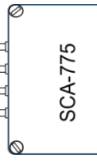


**TB2**

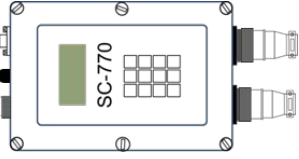


**TB1**

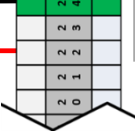
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Sensor Diagram)



TB-2 pin 15 (GND)  
TB-2 pin 17 (+15 VDC)

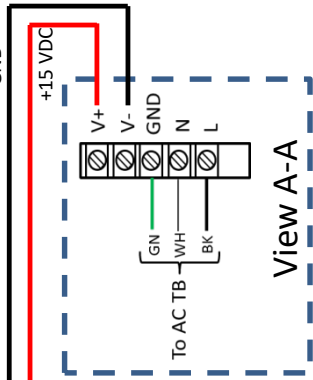


TB-2 pin 10 (GND)  
TB-2 pin 16 (+15 VDC)



**TB5**

+15 VDC



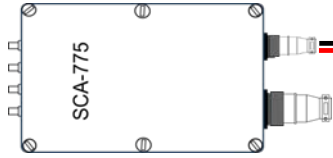
View A-A

To AC TB

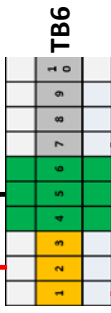


+12 VDC

Auxiliary Pillar

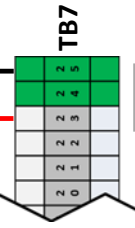


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**TB6**

Tamper Ckt



**TB7**

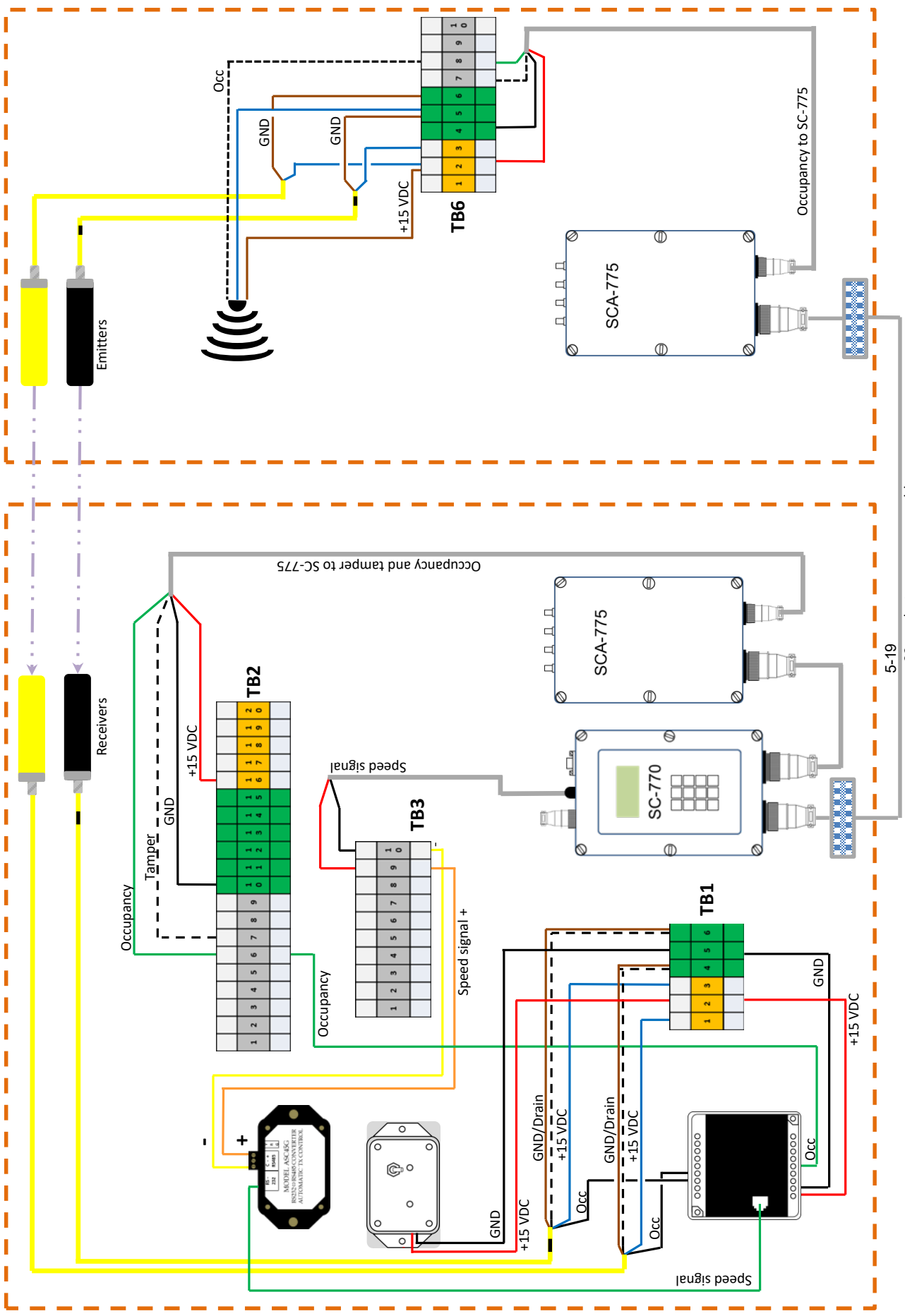
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23 conductor cross-over cable

# VM-250AGN Occupancy Circuit Block Diagram

**Control Pillar**

**Auxiliary Pillar**

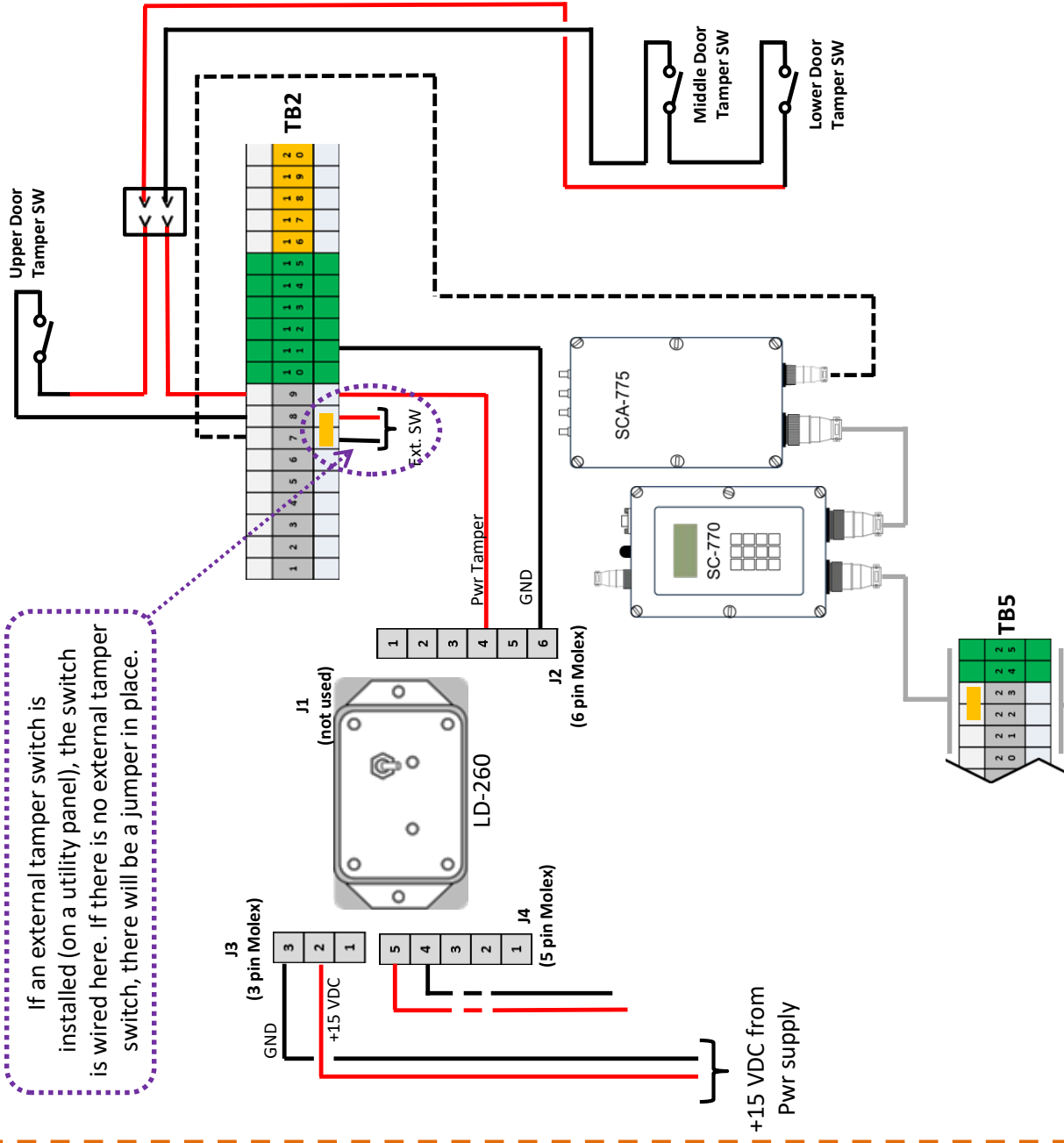




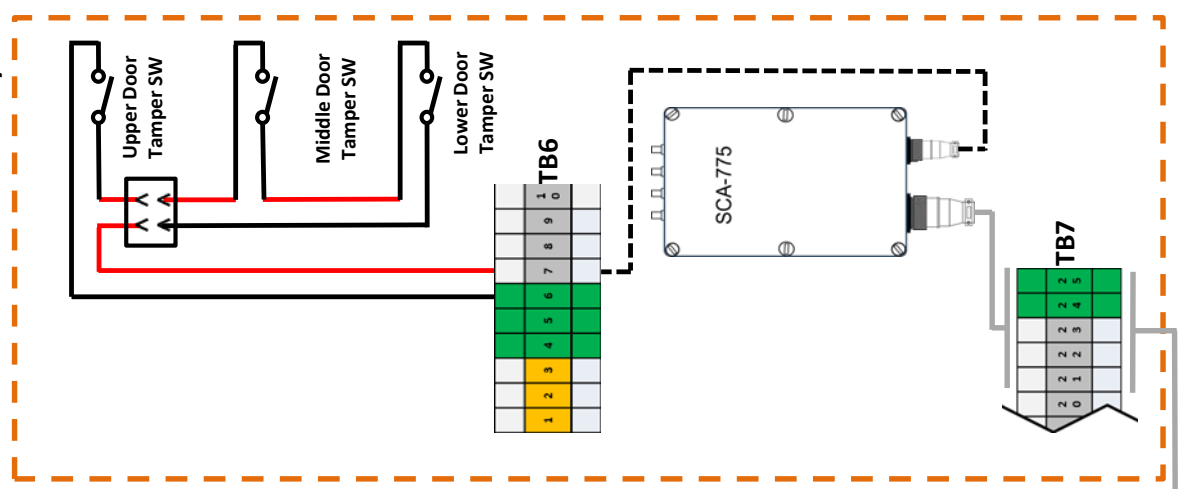
# VM250-AGN Tamper Circuit Block Diagram

**Control Pillar**

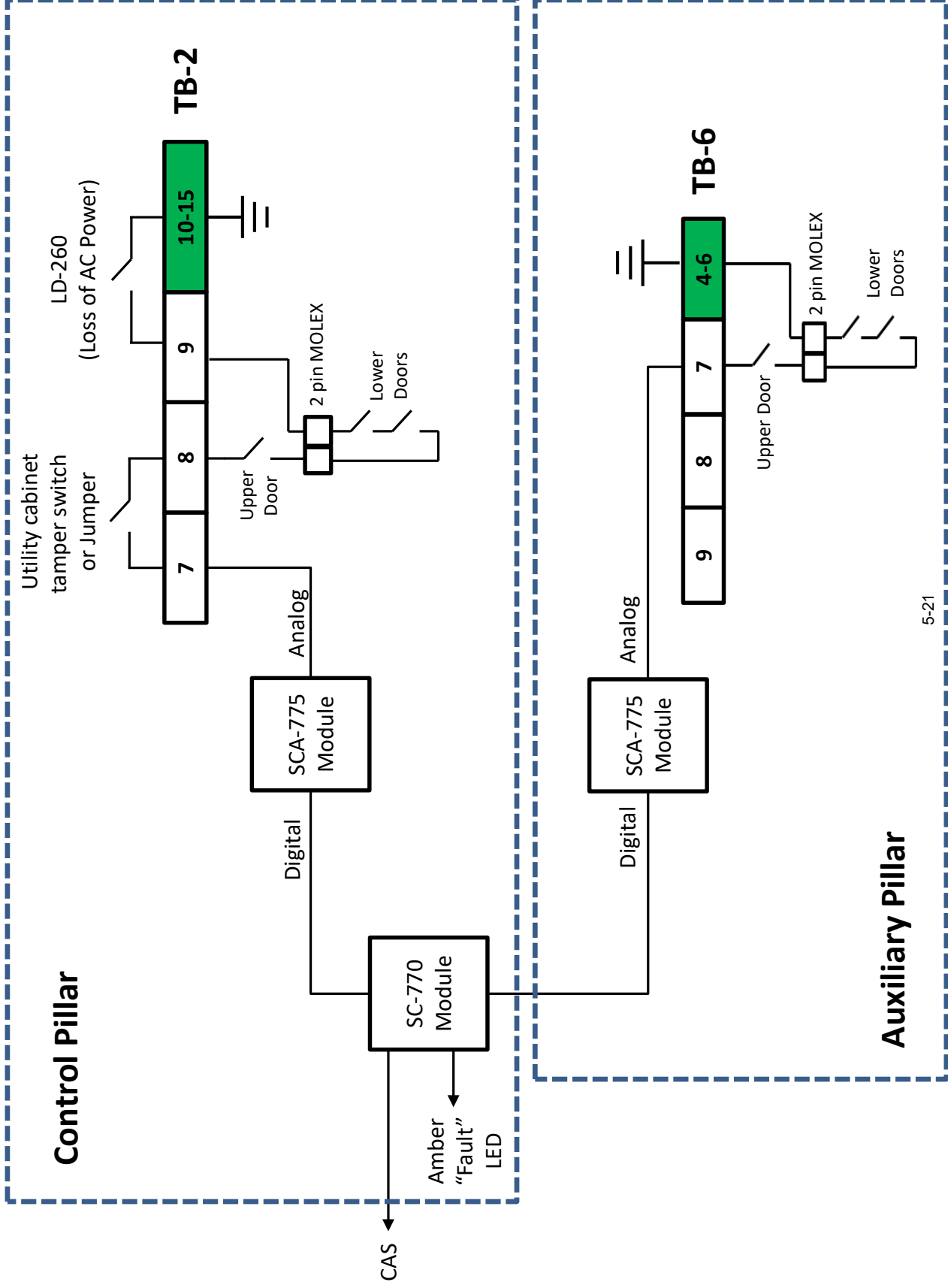
If an external tamper switch is installed (on a utility panel), the switch is wired here. If there is no external tamper switch, there will be a jumper in place.



**Auxiliary Pillar**



# VM-250 AGN Tamper Circuit Line Drawing



# VM250-AGN Alarm/Fault Indication Circuit Block Diagram

